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DIA Week Opens At Howard Payne

BROWNWOOD — Democracy-In-Action Week will begin here Monday at Howard Payne College. The week is the highlight of the DIA program, an award-winning study in its 10th year.

Highlights of the 1965 program will be nine speakers and a seminar for outstanding high school and junior college students Friday and Saturday.

The DIA program has received the top award in the Thomas Jefferson award category of the Freedom's Foundation at Valley Forge as the best college campus program in Americanism. It began as a one-day program in 1956, expanded into a week study in 1957 and became a year-round activity in 1958.

Monday's Slate

Activities will start Monday at 10 a.m. when Dr. G. Warren

Nutter, chairman of the department of economics at the University of Virginia, addresses the student body. A former member of the Lawrence College and Yale University faculties, he has served as division chief for the CIA and is a member of the research staff and director of the study of Soviet economic growth for the Bureau of Economic Research. He will speak again at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday's program will feature Skipper K. Yee, Chinese-American industrialist, scheduled to make his first address at 10 a.m. Yee is one of the Pacific area's most successful businessmen and is president of SKY Distributing Company (automobile oil filters), a food additive agency and a soft drink firm. He speaks for America's promise of individual opportunity.

Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. the Howard Payne and Brownwood High

A Cappella Choirs will present "The Music of America" in the Brownwood Coliseum. The program will feature "The Testament of Freedom" sung by the men's chorus of Howard Payne and will be divided into facets representing the different aspects of American life.

During the program John Thomas Yantis, II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Yantis of Brownwood and a ninth grade student at Brownwood Junior High School, will receive the George Washington Honor Medal in the Nathan Hale Youth Patriotic Awards Program of the Freedom's Foundation at Valley Forge.

Dr. Forrest Agce, academic dean of Howard Payne, will present the award earned for an essay, "What the Scout Oath and Law Mean to Me as a Responsible Citizen." Young Yantis won the award in connection with the Boy Scout program.

Other Activities

Other activities of the week include a Wednesday address by Thubten Jigme Norbu, brother of the exiled Dalai Lama of Tibet, who will speak at 10 a.m. and Dr. Milton Curry, president of Bishop College, Dallas, who will speak Thursday at 10 a.m. Thursday evening at 7:30, H. S. (Hank) Brown, president of the Texas AFL-CIO, will give the address.

Friday will feature a 10 a.m. address by Morgan Maxfield, Jr., successful young Dallas businessman who has traveled in Russia, and Fulton Lewis, Jr., news columnist and commentator, who will give the last address at 7:30 p.m.

All DIA programs are free except the address of Fulton Lewis Jr., which will have an admission charge of 50 cents, \$1 or \$1.50 according to the seats.